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Application of Ralf Reiner Schumann et al.

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Customer No. address 23622

For THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR THE TREATMENT OF SEPTICAEMIA, ITS PREPARATION AND USE

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Commissioner of Patents Washington DC 20231

Sir:

This is a continued prosecution under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d) in the nature of a divisional of the above-identified nonprovisional application.

Enclosed herewith is a Preliminary Amendment with new claims, a copy of the Substitute Specification from the file jacket of the parent application, a revised Substitute Specification which added appropriate headers to the previous original Substitute Specification, and a comparison copy showing the changes between the enclosed original Substitute Specification and the hereby slightly revised version.

The original application is abandoned in favor of this divisional application.

Please charge the continued prosecution filing fee for small entities, of \$370, to deposit account No. 060923.

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Respectfully submitted,

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